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Remarks

Initially, Applicants thank the Examiner for the indication of allowable claims 1-

11. The present amendment after allowance under 37 CFR §1.312 addresses the

Examiner's proposed amendment to the claims. First, it should be noted that all of the

Examiner's proposed revisions are acceptable to Applicants. However, there is an

additional instance of the term "load equivalent weight" in each of claims 1 and 2. As

shown in the above-presented claims, the second instance is at line 10 of each of claims 1

and 2.

It is respectfully submitted that the claims as presented are now ready for

issuance. No fees or extensions of time are believed to be due in connection with this

filing. However, please consider this a request for any extension inadvertently omitted,

and charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 23-1660.

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